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In re Application of: **INSULATED CUP HOLDER** SHOUJI TOIDA et al Group Art Unit 3727 Serial No. 09/774,410 \ Examiner S. Castellano Filed January 31, 2001

TC 3700 MAIL ROOM

AMENDMENT "A"

Box NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 3, 2001, Applicants wish to respond as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

11. (Amended) The combination of claim 10 wherein said inner liner includes a radially outwardly directed flange located just below said axially extending edge and said outer body is sealed to said flange.

> 37 CFR 1.8 **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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